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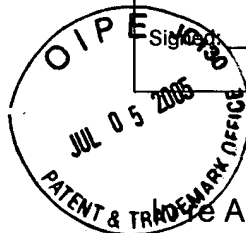
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Re Application of:

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Application No.: 09/764,370

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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR  
SECURE TRANSACTION  
MANAGEMENT AND ELECTRONIC  
RIGHTS PROTECTION

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION FILED WITH RCE**

In connection with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith and responsive to the Office Action mailed January 4, 2005, the period for response having been extended via Petition for Extension of Time and associated authorization to charge Deposit Account 06-0916 submitted herewith, please enter the amendments set forth below and consider the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.